PUBLIC DEBT NEWS

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TREASURY AUCTION RESULTS

Term and Type of Security	9-Year 11-Month Note
CUSIP Number	912828JR2
Series	F-2018
Interest Rate	3-3/4%
High Yield ¹	2.670%
Allotted at High	59.96%
Price	109.352316
Accrued Interest per \$1,000	\$3.10773
Median Yield ²	2.590%
Low Yield ³	2.000%
Issue Date	December 15, 2008
Maturity Date	November 15, 2018
Original Issue Date	November 17, 2008
Dated Date	November 15, 2008

	Tendered	Accepted
Competitive	\$38,980,650,000	\$15,926,599,600
Noncompetitive	\$33,421,000	\$33,421,000
FIMA (Noncompetitive)	\$40,000,000	\$40,000,000
Subtotal ⁴	\$39,054,071,000	\$16,000,020,600 ⁵
SOMA	\$480,836,300	\$480,836,300
Total	\$39,534,907,300	\$16,480,856,900
	Tendered	Accepted
Primary Dealer ⁶	\$34,341,000,000	\$13,868,908,000
Direct Bidder ⁷	\$125,000,000	\$29,000,000
Indirect Bidder ⁸	\$4,514,650,000	\$2,028,691,600
Total Competitive	\$38,980,650,000	\$15,926,599,600

All tenders at lower yields were accepted in full.

 $^{^{2}}$ 50% of the amount of accepted competitive tenders was tendered at or below that yield.

 $^{^{3}}$ 5% of the amount of accepted competitive tenders was tendered at or below that yield.

⁴ Bid-to-Cover Ratio: \$39,054,071,000/\$16,000,020,600 = 2.44

⁵ Awards to combined Treasury Direct systems = \$16,226,000.

⁶ Primary dealers as submitters bidding for their own house accounts.

⁷ Non-Primary dealer submitters bidding for their own house accounts.

⁸ Customers placing competitive bids through a direct submitter, including Foreign and International Monetary Authorities placing bids through the Federal Reserve Bank of New York.